

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
SOUTHEASTERN DIVISION**

JOHN ROBERT DEMOS,

Plaintiff,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Defendant.

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No. 1:08-CV-77 LMB

**MEMORANDUM AND ORDER**

This matter is before the Court upon its own motion. Plaintiff has submitted a document titled “Motion for Declaratory Ruling,” which the Court will construe to be a complaint. However, plaintiff has not submitted the statutory filing fee of \$350. Plaintiff may not proceed in forma pauperis because he has incurred more than three “strikes” under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(g).<sup>1</sup> As a result, the Court will order plaintiff to pay the filing fee. If plaintiff fails to timely pay the filing fee, this case will be dismissed.

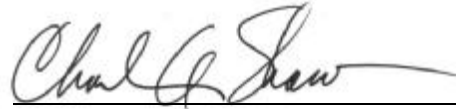
Accordingly,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that plaintiff shall pay the \$350 filing fee within twenty (20) days from the date of this Order.

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<sup>1</sup>See Demos, Jr. v. John Doe, 4:94-CV-1540 GFG (E.D. Mo. Dec. 7, 1994); Demos, Jr. v. Anheuser Busch Brewery, 4:94-CV-1962 WSB (E.D. Mo. Dec. 7, 1994); Demos, Jr. v. John Doe, 4:94-CV-2400 DDN (E.D. Mo. Jan. 30, 1995). Additionally, a review of the United States Party/Case Index reveals that plaintiff has filed frivolous actions in numerous district courts across the nation.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that if plaintiff fails to timely pay the filing fee, this case will be dismissed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Charles A. Shaw", written in black ink. The signature is positioned above a horizontal line.

**CHARLES A. SHAW**  
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**

Dated this 21st day of May, 2008.